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PORT FORT: JOHN FORTNIGHT

**Subject: Perspective**

And, let's get together when you get back. I agree with your approach. I don't

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think I have discussed the President's pre-occupation with the hostage issue. Don has said I agree it is a mistake. The President is interested and is willing to take some risks in getting them back, but not pre-occupied. I think a message through [redacted] is a good idea. I will ask Al to get that into the planning process. I also think a two-paper free up to Safonofski is also a good idea. We will think about the other aspects. Florence, please set up a meeting with Don on Tuesday.

cc: 03784 --CP04

FLORENCE GARY

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AL 0201

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NOTE FROM: JERRY BROOKS

SUBJECT: Jerry Brooks

Have you brought Jerry into the Iran project yet? I want to talk with him after you have.

cc: 03784 --CP04

PAUL TROTTON

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--CP04

FLORENCE GARY

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AL 0201

Jerry Brooks

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NOTE FROM: JOHN POINDEXTER

Subject: Perspective

Bud, let's get together when you get back. I agree with your approach. I don't

think I have stressed the President's pre-occupation with the hostage issue. Don has and I agree it is a mistake. The President is interested and is willing to take some risks in getting them back, but not pre-occupied. I think a message through [ ? ] is a good idea. I will ask Al to get that into the planning process. I also think a non-paper from us to Rafsanjani is also a good idea. He will think about the other aspects. Florence, please set up a meeting with Bud on Tuesday.